

2013: This has been a religious site from the 12th century, with the present church built in 1780. Two yews grow side by side south of the church on the east side. The old yew is male and the most easterly of the two. Although present girth is only 12' 7" at the ground, there are many pieces of old wood at the ground indicating that girth has been larger. There are also many places in the tree where old dead sapwood is seen, with new growth beginning to surround it.



The 2nd yew, female, is of very different appearance. In spite of its small girth (7' 5" at 3' ) it is completely hollow.

It has a straight trunk up to a height of about 8' before an outpouring of branches. The hollow, which is on the west side, closes over at a height of 4' when seen from the outside, but inside continues almost to the point where there is an outpouring of branches.



Also growing close to the church tower is this millennium yew, a cutting from the oldest of the two yews growing at Hambledon, Surrey.